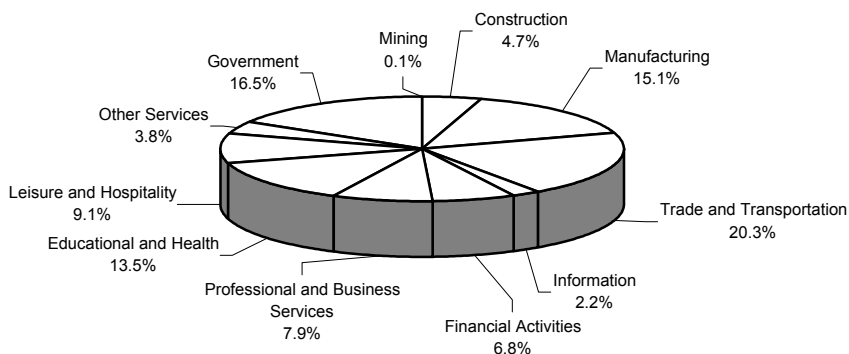


IOWA NONFARM EMPLOYMENT September 2008



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- The industries that saw the greatest gains from September 2007 to September 2008 are Education and Health (4,100), Government (2,000), and Leisure and Hospitals (1,700).
 - The industries that saw the greatest declines from September 2007 to September 2008 are Manufacturing (1,300) and Professional and Business Services (1,200).
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	<u>Sept. 2007</u>	<u>Sept. 2008</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Total Nonfarm	1,517,400	1,524,200	0.4%
Natural Resources & Mining	2,100	2,200	4.8%
Construction	72,300	72,200	-0.1%
Manufacturing	229,500	228,200	-0.6%
Trade, Transportation & Warehousing	308,700	309,400	0.2%
Information	33,400	33,200	-0.6%
Financial Activities	103,100	103,900	0.8%
Professional and Business Services	121,500	120,300	-1.0%
Educational and Health	202,300	206,400	2.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	136,900	138,600	1.2%
Other Services	57,700	57,900	0.3%
Government	249,900	251,900	0.8%

Source: Labor Market and Workforce Information Division, Iowa Workforce Development

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